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Scientific Research

SCIENTIFIC PROGRESS IS PLAYING an important part in hastening the Allied victory, yet it remains one of the least spectacular features of the war, because of the secrecy which must be attached to it. However, some of the developments which have been of great advantage to the Allied cause, are now well known, and give us reason to have every confidence that this work will be successfully carried on as long as there is need for it. In Britain, the great importance which is attached to scientific and industrial research was demonstrated when the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Anderson, who recommended in his last budget that a central tax be voted for this purpose. In 1943, the Right Honorable Sir Oliver Lyttleton, British Minister of Production, stated that "thirty-five per cent. of British production is turning out weapons which did not exist except in the minds of their inventors when the war broke out. Others are being developed all the time."

Many Weapons Are Perfected

British scientists have perfected many new weapons, both for defensive and offensive action. One of the earliest of these was radar, which is now shared with all the Allied nations. This form of radio detection is believed to have been the deciding factor against Germany in the Battle of Britain. There have been other inventions in the realm of detecting devices both for aircraft and for use in the navy. The famous "Z" rocket gun, which has proved so effective against night bombers was first made in Britain, and an officer of the Royal Air Force, Group Captain Whittle, invented the jet-propelled plane, which has opened up great possibilities in flying, both in war and in peace. While emphasis is now naturally placed on developments which are useful in wartime, much of the work done in Britain since the beginning of the war, will be of great value in later years.

Expansion In Research Here

In Canada, extensive scientific research is being carried on in connection with the war effort, and much valuable work has been done. Hon. James A. MacKinnon, Minister of Trade and Commerce, recently outlined before the House of Commons, some of the projects which are being undertaken here. The National Research Council, he stated, now has a staff four times as large as that employed in peacetime, and it operates nine stations in addition to its large central laboratory in Ottawa. Much of the research which is done is for the armed services and cannot be revealed at this time, but some interesting facts were given out concerning projects which could be discussed. These included investigations in the realm of medical research, relating to such problems as night vision, fatigue, diet, and others. There has also been extensive work on secret instruments, photography and many other devices necessary in combat. It is apparent that the needs of war have given great impetus to scientific research, and it is to be hoped that this progress will continue when we are faced with the many problems which will arise in the post-war years.

English Law

Allen Is Protected The Same As The Native Born

Dr. Theodore Goldschmidt came to England in 1933 from Frankfurt. He qualified to practise in Britain in 1935, and set up business in Clapton.

One day recently the police sent three men to his consulting room for the purpose of trying to extract medical certificates from the doctor, stating that they were unfit for work. They feigned illness so successfully that they succeeded, and Dr. Goldschmidt was prosecuted under the defence regulations.

But the magistrate not only declared his belief that the doctor gave the certificates in good faith, but condemned the use of the agents provocateurs as against the spirit of English law. The case against the doctor was dismissed, and he was awarded 10 guineas costs.

Thus does English law maintain its sound traditions and high sense of integrity. The stranger under our roof is protected with the same care as the native born.—London Express.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly

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Safe And Speedy

Great Advances Made Since First Plane Crossed Atlantic

Alcock and Brown (25 years ago) spanned the Atlantic from Newfoundland to Ireland in 16 hours and 12 minutes. Recently a medium bomber did the same hop in a little under seven hours. Even if the distances from Newfoundland to the large centres of population on the eastern seaboard are added, it should be possible in a few years to leave Britain after breakfast and reach Montreal in time for the next meal—or, indeed, given the difference in time, to reach Montreal in time for a second breakfast.—Montreal Star.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

FALSE PRIDE
I have been more and more convinced, the more I think of it, that, in general, pride is at the bottom of all great mistakes.—Ruskin.

A man should never be ashamed to own he has been in the wrong, which is but saying in other words that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.—Pope.

Vanity is the mother, and affection is the darling daughter; vanity is the sin, and affection is the punishment; the first may be called the root of self-love, the other the fruit.—Lord Halifax.

Pride either finds a desert or makes one; submission cannot tame its ferocity, nor satisfy fill its voracity, and it requires very costly food—its keeper's happiness.—Colton.

The pride of circumstance or power is the prince of this world; that has nothing in Christ. All power and happiness are spiritual, and proceed from goodness.—Mary Baker Eddy.

What does the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—Micah 6:8.

The Red Cross flag is the flag of the Swiss Confederation reversed.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—What is the new regulation covering the placing of price tags on certain clothing?

A.—Effective June 1, retailers of men's, women's and children's clothing and furnishings will be required to put a price tag on every article displayed for sale, "showing the manufacturer's Wartime Prices and Trade Board license number or his registered trade mark, and the gauge or stock number and size of the garment, printed, woven or stamped on it or on a label or tag attached to it."

Q.—I received my No. 4 ration book this week through the mail. Can you give me any reason why they should have taken some coupons out of my book?

A.—Persons applying for their No. 4 book one month after the date of general distribution forgo the coupons which became valid during that month. It is reasonable to assume that persons who did not apply for their new books did not require rationed commodities at that time.

Q.—Is it against the regulations of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for dressmakers to make long dresses?

A.—Brides are the only people these days who can have long dresses and then only in white or an ivory tone. Otherwise, it is against the regulations for dressmakers or manufacturers to make long dresses.

Q.—How much notice am I entitled to if I pay rent by the month in shared accommodation?

A.—A tenant paying rent by the month in shared accommodation is entitled to a month's notice. Shared accommodation is defined as the landlord's residence, with the landlord and tenant sharing the use of the same entrance and facilities such as the bathroom.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book (the book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices) mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

British Scientists

Have Developed Many New And Revolutionary Weapons Of War

The record of British scientists at war has proved them more than worthy of this recognition. Many of the newest and most revolutionary weapons of war—whether defensive or offensive—have been the product of British brains. Radar, probably the greatest weapon in air warfare, was first discovered and perfected in Britain, and shared with Britain's Allies. In the Battle of Britain it tipped the balance against Germany—and in favor of the whole civilized world. Since those days Britain has developed many other weapons of air warfare. After Radar came improved anti-aircraft guns, culminating in the now famous secret "Z" rocket gun. Britain's new air weapons have been just as much offensive as defensive. The "backroom boys," as her scientists are called, have produced bombs which have grown bigger and more powerful every year. Their latest is a 12,000 pounder—so large that experts thought they could never get it into a filling factory. The application of the degaussing girde to the hulls of ships, thus neutralizing the effect of the German magnetic mine, was equal to a major victory at sea. Within a few weeks British scientists had defeated the menace of what Germany had vaunted as a war-winning weapon.

Peachy Lemon is a fruit dealer in Medford, Oregon.

Veteran Of Singapore

Believes Lack Of Medical Supplies Will Finish Jap Fighters

The Japanese will crack medically in the opinion of F. L. Tom Watson, R.C.A.F. fighter pilot who was the last man to fly out of Singapore. In Ottawa for posting, the Yukon-born airman of Vernon, B.C., told a group of newsmen of the heroic losing fight put up by a small band of British and Canadian airmen providing scanty cover for the ground forces falling back through Malay jungles to Singapore.

But despite the power of the early Japanese thrust, Watson said gathering Allied strength would have little difficulty in a showdown battle.

He said lack of medical supplies would "see the eventual extermination of the Jap fighters in the Pacific island campaign." He spoke of a Japanese bomber crew which recently crashed-landed near his station.

"Every one of the nine men in the crew were medically unsound—some of them had venereal disease, some of them had malaria symptoms and the rest had other diseases."

Allied medical officers found this condition general among Japanese prisoners. Japanese in touch with their home bases got few enough medical supplies but those in isolated spots got none at all "and they are cracking medically."

Watson was bitter about reports and criticism of the British effort in the Far East. He said no one seemed to take the general picture into consideration in sizing up the situation. Britain had sent more than she could afford to that theatre.

Valuable Geese

The Golden Goose Lives Again In War-Torn China

The Golden Goose lives again and the woman who owns her spends most of the time just watching over her. So says a Canadian recently returned from war-torn China.

Before the war, China exported thousands of pounds of goose feathers, but since the Japanese invasion the little quacking "gold mines" have become almost a casualty of war and therefore doubly precious in China's patient eyes. If a woman is the proud owner of a laying goose, she's set for life, or so she thinks.

A smiling peasant woman in Chungking, West China, refused \$300.00 for a single goose, for she lays an egg a day. Mrs. Wong, the owner, gets \$10 a piece for hatching eggs and she has so many orders ahead that she can't keep track of them any more.

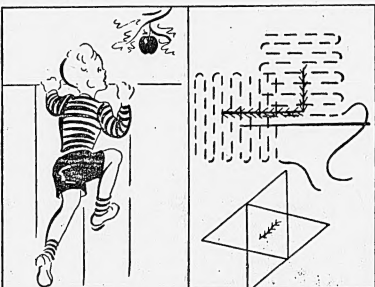
Chinese women hatch these precious goose eggs by the warmth of their bodies, keeping them in a little padded pocket between their breasts. This is a job for the older women of the clan, who sit or work quietly in the sun until the life in the egg becomes a newly-hatched marker of more goose feathers, and more money for the little ravaged farms that their peasant owners staunchly refuse to leave.

CURE FOR INSOMNIA

The New York Times says eleven out of twelve of his patients were able to sleep after he cut the amount of salt in their diet. Dr. Michael M. Miller (United States Marine Hospital Ellis Island) told the American Psychiatric Association. Six of Dr. Miller's patients were marines who could not sleep and six had been morphine addicts. All were benefited.

A pendulum, to beat one second exactly, must be one-fifth of an inch longer at Spitzbergen than at the equator.

TORN BUT EASY TO DARN



Draw the edges together neatly with fishbone stitches. Darn the tear beginning the stitches half the length beyond and also half the length of the cut above and below. Keep an equal number of stitches in rows because there is no stretch in darn. Repeat on the opposite side and continue across the tear, level with the line of stitches. Complete the first block of darning level with the line of second block. The crossing should form crosses, steps or T's.

DELICIOUS SUPPER TREAT

CARROT TIMBALES

2 cups milk, scalded
2 tablespoons butter
3 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon salt
Combine first 7 ingredients in a saucepan. Remove from heat and add to beaten egg yolks. Stir in grated carrots and carrots. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 50 minutes. Makes 8 timbales. And remember, Christie's Premium Soda Crackers are creamed dishes. Always keep a package or two on hand.



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SMILE AWHILE

OVERSEAS—

Cupid has a busy time with the Canadian Army Overseas. Since November 1942 when the first small group of CWACs marched down London's Piccadilly, more than thirty weddings have been reported. One of the most recent ceremonies united Pte. Eileen Uren and Tpr. Ronnie Mace, both of Hamilton, Ont. Capt. Cynthia Gough of Montreal gave the bride away. "It was quite a new experience," she reported. The CWACs are much in demand," writes Capt. Gough, "but they take their social popularity casually. Their motto is 'the war comes first.'"



Printers have offered Mother's Day cards for practically every member of the family, but in his wildest dreams no printer has ever conceived one for a large, male sergeant major. It took the CWACs to do that. It started almost two years ago when R.S.M. Fred Purkis of Edmonton, Alta., drilled the first CWAC class at the Vermilion, Alta., training centre and earned the nickname of "Ma Purkis". Today he has charge of the CWAC precision squad in Edmonton, and he is not permitted to forget the "Ma" nickname. Saturday night found R.S.M. Purkis at a dance when a large florist's box was delivered. Inside a sheaf of tulips nestled a card from the 26 members of his squad. Below the picture of a motherly woman in a rocking chair, he read: "You may not dress in lavender and lace, but we still love your dear sergeant's face."



According to the Post, "Beauty is a joy forever," and today's Army girls will agree with him no less than the glamorous belles of years gone by. Miss C. G. in khaki's own trim, stylish appearance is proof that she takes her lessons seriously.

MASCOT—

Believe it or not, the favourite mascot of Army girls is not a duck, but a goldfish. In several Canadian barracks the ichthyological touch has been added by discussions on whether "Mahitabel" (all goldfish have profound names) is good Army material and whether his brand of food agrees with him. Much consternation was caused in an Ottawa barracks recently when Cpl. Margaret Leslie of Montreal inadvertently cracked her goldfish bowl and Mahitabel was obliged to spend the night in a G.I. wash basin.

MEMORIAL WINDOW

American soldiers in this Northampton area have contributed toward the cost of a memorial window to be placed in a 13th century church at Cranley, Eng., commemorating the Churchill-Roosevelt alliance. The window shows the president and prime minister sitting on the deck of a warship.

"I see you've advertised your saxophone for sale."

"Yes; I heard that my neighbor had bought a gun."

Magistrate (sympathetically): "Could the motorist have avoided you?"

Henpecked Victim (sadly): "—E could that, your worship. 'E' ad the choice of 'titting me' or the missus, and 'e' picked on me."

Telephoner—Long distance? I want to place a call to Damariscotta, Maine.

Operator—How do you spell the name, please?

Telephoner—Lady, if I could spell it, I'd write.

The two wives were talking about their husbands.

"Your hubby seems to be a real treasure."

"Maybe," said the other, "but when there are any jobs to be done he's a hidden treasure."

Yachtsman—If this squall continues, I shall have to leave to Girl Passenger—What a horrid way to put it.

Irish Church Woman—Why don't you arrest that nudist colony that is disgracing this neighborhood?

Sherrif (something of a wag)—I would, but it's awful hard to get anything on them.

"See that man over there? Well there's a prize on his head."

"Good heavens! A bandit?"

"No. He's forgotten to fake the price label off his new hat."

Man from Florida (picking up a watermelon in a store in California)—Is this the largest grapefruit you've got?

Californian—Please don't crush that raisin.

"You cannot get eggs without hens," said the speaker, stressing the point.

"My dad can," piped a small voice from the rear.

"Please explain yourself, little boy," said the speaker.

"He keeps ducks," yelled the boyish voice from the rear.

For some time the two women sitting in front of him at the cinema had annoyed him with their constant chatter.

At last he could stand it no longer. Leaning forward, he said politely:

"Folks, me, but I can't hear."

"I should hope you can't," replied one woman, coldly; "this conversation is strictly private."

Children grow most rapidly in height during the springtime and put on weight most rapidly in the late fall and winter.



I KNOW A THING
OR TWO ABOUT
GOOD BREAD!

I KNOW A THING
OR TWO ABOUT
GOOD YEAST!

Clever women bake
with ROYAL YEAST—
Makes loaves tender,
even-textured, delicious
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FOR DEPENDABILITY



did as ordered. Then, passing through the store on his way out, he saw this little earring on the floor, and slipped it into his pocket. The rest was pie for us."

He squinted skyward. "Clouding up a bit," he observed. "Guess I'll get my rod and try my luck. Might as well combine a little pleasure with business."

Queues In England

People Line Up Only When There Is Something Special

Queues are comparatively rare in England except outside theatres, picture houses and restaurants, writes Oswald Dutch in the Montreal Star. It is true that, especially on Saturdays, you see queues outside pastry-cooks or fish shops, either because it is an hour at which the majority of people are free to do their weekly shopping or because something special has attracted their attention. When the first consignments of oranges from Spain and North Africa appeared in the shops, for instance, there were immense queues because everybody was anxious to taste oranges again after having been deprived of them for so long and because they were not available in unlimited quantities. The same thing happens when fresh fruit, tomatoes or other early or rare vegetables appear in the shops. There was a time two years ago when people had to stand in queues to obtain cigarettes or chocolate. Today the stocks of cigarettes are so ample that nobody would dream of doing so.

Are Greatly Changed

Views Of Soviet Russia Broadened In Last Few Years

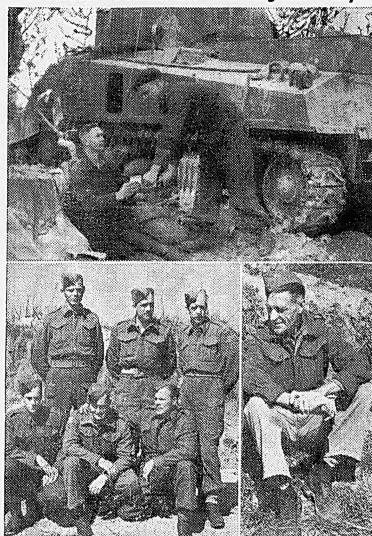
There is still too much tendency in some directions to regard Russia with misgiving. But we feel that this is largely due to the fact that many people do not realize how greatly changed the Russia of today is from the Russia of 25 years ago. Mr. Churchill reminded us of this when he said on Wednesday: "Profound changes have taken place in Soviet Russia. The Trotskyite form of Communism has been completely wiped out. The victories of the Russian armies have been attended by a great rise in strength of the Russian State and a remarkable broadening of its views. The religious side of Russian life has had a wonderful rebirth."—Montreal Star.

HAD CLEVER ANSWER

We ran across a lad who is going to get along all right in this world. Taunted by someone because of an inordinate number of freckles on his face, he replied good-naturedly: "They ain't freckles. Y'know, we bein' got 'em swimmin' most every day, and them spots is just my iron constitution rustin' on me!"

It is estimated that some engines in use on Canadian railways build up a mileage of 10,000 miles in 30 days.

Western Canadians Serving In Italy



Serving with the Canadian Army in Italy are these western Canadians pictured above. Top photo: Pte. Donald Lake of Asquith, Sask., hands out some "chow" to Cpl. "Pat" Golden of Provost, Alta., from a hole in Italian clay which the tank crew have made a "permanent" home when forced by bad ground conditions to stay in one spot for long periods. Men in the lower photos are serving with the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps in Italy. In the group on the left, from left to right, back row, are: Pte. C. H. Cochran, Reston, Man.; Pte. J. Wall, Rush Lake, Sask.; Pte. G. Nisbet, Conquest, Sask.; front row, left to right, Pte. W. H. Ashdown, Meath Park, Sask.; Pte. V. F. Shields, Pathlow, Sask.; and Pte. P. Doniak, Edmonton. Lower right photo shows Pte. R. Barton, of Kellilher, Sask.

Evacuated Children

British Government Prefers That They Remain In Canada Until They Can Enter Services

British Government policy prefers children evacuated to Canada through the Children's Overseas Reception Board to remain here until they become eligible for military service, war work of national importance or approved apprenticeship, Miss Marjorie Maxse, chairman of the board and vice-chairman of the Women's Voluntary Services said in an interview in Ottawa.

Miss Maxse has just completed a five weeks' tour of every province of Canada during which she interviewed children brought out to this country by the board. She was greatly impressed with what she saw. "The children are in A-1 physical condition and so full of life and enthusiasm. I hope Canadians realize how fortunate we are over them."

According to English law when these children reach the registration age of 17 they must enlist or enter war work though they can choose to do it in Canada if they wish. Of the 1,332 evacuated by C.O.R.B. approximately 85 have entered the Canadian armed forces and approximately 100 have returned to the United Kingdom.

Miss Maxse recalled one boy whom she interviewed on her trip. His family wanted him home but he was unwilling to go. Finally he admitted he would like to join the Navy. Which Navy?

"Well, the Canadian Navy. If you don't mind me being frank, I just couldn't go home and work with a lot of Limeys," he confessed.—Ottawa Journal.

Will Come By Air

Planes Likely To Transport Perishable Foods After The War

When the war is over aviation will have much to say about the dinner table, the New York Times pointed out, referring to the role which air cargo may play in the eating habits of the people. It is not expected that the newer forms of transport will crowd refrigerators out of the rails or bulk shipments from the sea lanes, but there will be an opportunity to inaugurate shipments of perishable farm products by air, as well as fruits and vegetables from countries far afield.

NOW SHE KNOWS

A mother who had a daughter employed in defence work in Washington wrote to ask her just what she was doing. She received the following reply:

"I work in the data-analysis group of the aptitude-test sub-unit of the worker analysis section of the division of occupational analysis and manning tables of the bureau of labor utilization of the War Manpower Commission."

The chimney swift flies 19 of every 24 hours.

MACDONALD'S BRIED

Canada's Standard Smoke

Exceptional Work

British Women Take Over The Hottest Job In War Work

In the retort house of a fuel gas factory somewhere in England, a group of women have completed their first year in the hottest job attempted by women in Britain's total war, a despatch from Britain states.

For 42 hours a week the women work in a veritable inferno of roaring furnaces, fire and heat. It is their job to feed coal into the furnaces where it burns in an atmosphere with less oxygen in it than ordinary air and gives off illuminating gas which is stored in vast bell-like containers.

There are three stages in the retort house, the early shift clocking in at dawn. Between 9 and 10 comes the break for the mid-morning meal, and then another four hours of work. The women take their night shifts along with the men.

These women smokers average two days off a week and receive first-class medical attention. Doctors have found that their health is impaired by their strenuous jobs.

Several privileges come to the gas girls. They get a special allowance of tea to quench their thirst in the torrid heat. They have more time off than factory workers and, what is one of the best of all compensations, they receive their soap free of coupons.

A Matter Of Loyalty

Without That It Is Impossible To Do Canada The Best Service

Loyalty to British connection and to British ideas need not diminish one's loyalty to Canada. On the other hand without that loyalty it is impossible to do Canada the best service, for Canada's highest interests are indissolubly linked with those of the Empire. Yet as in the case of other loyalties, loyalty to the Empire involves readiness to accept the responsibilities and to make such sacrifices as may be called for by citizenship in the Empire. It is, in fact, an essential element in loyalty to Canada.—Orillia Packet-Times.

SELECTED RECIPES

Water cress is, nutritionally, one of the most valuable foods. It is an excellent source of Vitamins A, B1, C and G, and is packed with minerals. These nutrients make it a good digestive stimulant and blood builder. For these reasons, smart homemakers make a practice of including it in salads every day.

When a light lunch is in order, a salad including water cress, crackers, a dessert and beverage provides an ideal menu. The crackers supplement the vitamins and minerals of the salad with plenty of food-energy. Their salty flavor, of course, adds to the general enjoyment of it too. Here's a tasty recipe that will come in handy the next time you plan a salad lunch.

LUNCHEON SALAD

1 bunch water cress
4 hard-cooked eggs
2 tablespoons mayonnaise
1/2 teaspoon salt
Dash paprika
4 medium sized tomatoes
2 cups shredded cabbage
2 tablespoons French dressing
Wash water cress, drain thoroughly and reserve 12 sprays for garnish. Chop half of the remaining water cress medium fine and the other half coarse. Shell eggs and cut in half lengthwise. Combine egg yolks with mayonnaise, salt, paprika, and mix thoroughly. Add finely chopped water cress and toss lightly. Use this mixture to fill eggs. Peel and quarter tomatoes. Add French dressing to shredded cabbage. Mix thoroughly. Add coarsely chopped water cress. Toss lightly. On each of four luncheon sized plates, arrange two stuffed egg halves, four quarters of tomato, 1/4 of the cabbage-water cress slaw and three sprays of water cress. Serve with crisp soda crackers. Serves four.

GETS HOMING PIGEONS

Harry Mulligan, prominent North Bay merchant, has become the proud owner of four homing pigeons from the Royal Lofts at Sandringham, England. After arrangements were made with the manager of the King's pigeon establishment, the birds were sent by boat and mail from England.

Alaska and Alaska are only 40 miles apart. 2572

AUCTION SALE

HEREFORD CATTLE

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Feed For Horses

Dominion Experimental Station In Quebec Using Rolled Oats

Farmers who would like to save grain in feeding their horses will be interested in the practice of the Dominion Experimental Station at Normandin, Quebec, in feeding its horses rolled oats. The Station uses a small oat roller weighing only 180 pounds and operated by a three-quarter horsepower electric motor. The roller and motor are bolted on a shelf close to the ceiling, just under the oat bin. From the ceiling a 3-inch pipe conducts the grain to the roller hopper. Underneath is a pipe which directs the crushed oats directly to the feed rack. By this arrangement a man starts the crusher and then is able to leave it while he attends to other chores.

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IT ALL DEPENDS

An artist who wanted a home among the Taconic Hills of Vermont was talking the matter over with a farmer who allowed that he had a house for sale. "I must have a good view," said the artist. "Is there a good view?"

"Well," drawled the farmer, "from the front porch yuh kin see Ed. Snow's barn, but beyond that there ain't nothin' but a bunch of mountains."

SALUTE IMPORTANT

Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons that the smartest saluting in the world was to be seen in Moscow, where the greatest importance was attached to "these finer acts of ceremony" in building up armies capable of facing the worst rigors of war. He was rejecting a suggestion that it should not be considered a breach of discipline when a man off duty failed to salute.

Although it thrives under adverse conditions in its natural habitat, cactus is one of the most difficult plants for man to cultivate.

If you suffer MONTHLY FEMALE PAIN

You can't get rid of menstrual backache, and tired, nervous feelings, and irritability due to nervousness, the "turnances" — should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has a soothing effect on one of the most sensitive parts of the body — the stomach. Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound is a fine stomach tonic. Made in Canada. Many trials.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

The Ear Ring

By
RUTH GILBERT COCHRAN
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July's noonday sun blistered the tar paper roofs of Vanadium, but a breeze, tempered by the snows about Mount Wilson, made Mame Terry's porch a cool and restful oasis in the little Colorado mining town. Mame's boarders had settled there as usual to enjoy a half-hour's smoke and gossip before strolling back to the ore sheds. Pipes were lighted, and a dozen pairs of booted feet rested on the wooden railing, but today's exchange of comments was somewhat lacking in raciness because of the presence of a stranger.

He was pleasant enough, this shrewd-eyed chap whose hat brim bristled with trout flies. And he asked no questions except as to the most auspicious hours for fishing in Wilson Creek. But he was a city fellow, an outsider, so conversation languished until Mame and her sister Kit, settling themselves in, two creaking rockers, broke the spell.

"There's Jeff Tubbs, like a lion," Mame remarked, "cementin' his new garage floor again. Why don't you tell him to slow down, Doc?"

"Ain't exchanged much talk with Jeff this past week," Doc Smith winked ponderously. "I did try to commiserate with him a mile after he had that dust-up with a thief the night before Lena left him. But there wasn't much doubt left in my mind that Jeff would tend to my own affairs. In fact, the town heard him requestin' me to do so."

His hearers laughed, and Mame's sister pricked up her ears.

"Things must have been happenin' since I was here last summer," she smiled. "You don't mean to tell me that that young girl I saw in Jeff Tubbs' store was his wife?"

"His wife? Heck, no!" the landlady responded vigorously. "His stepdaughter. She married young Frank Stevens, a surveyor, a week ago. Don't know what else Jeff could expect, even if he did practically make a prisoner of the girl."

"She was a pretty little thing," said Kit.

"Sweet, too," Mame agreed. "She was the widder Ames' daughter, her that Jeff married ten years ago. I often wondered how Lena could stand the way Jeff treated her after her ma died." Mame, fairly launched, drew a deep breath, and her regular boarders, to whom the tragic saga of Tubbs was only too familiar, drifted off to their afternoon occupa-

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Director, Agricultural Department
North-West Grain Elevators Association

AVOIDABLE LOSSES

Grain Inspection Branch figures for the period August 1 to October 15, reveal a serious situation which involves heavy losses to the farmers concerned. We refer to increases in "smutty" and "rejected" wheat.

Smutty Wheat

With rare exceptions, which need not concern us here, all smutty wheat results from smutting smut (bunt). In Hard Red Spring wheat and Durum, this disease can be completely controlled by seed treatment. On October 14, the Wheat Board Price List provided for a discount of 10c per bushel for smut in grades No. 1 Hard to No. 4 Northern. Since August 1, 101 cars have graded smutty; a frequency five times as great as last year. The loss to the farmer is nearly \$500.00 per car.

Rejected Wheat

"Rejected" gradings have increased at an alarming rate this season, though most of the wheat so graded was probably grown in 1942, when harvest conditions were unfavorable. Aside from ragweed, most rejections are due to excess moisture resulting in heating and sprouting. The discount for grades No. 1 Hard to No. 4 Northern is 11c per bushel—a serious loss. Since August 1, 329 cars have graded rejected; they are three times as common as last year. This loss cannot be eliminated, but it can be greatly reduced.

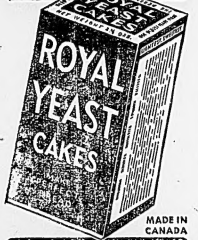
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The Ladies of the Red Cross Society held their monthly meeting last Thursday. They quilted three quilts. Mrs. P. Auld, Mrs. E. Ward and Mrs. V. Ryan were the hostesses.

Private Albert Marr of the Canadian Reserve Army at Vancouver, B. C. is spending a few days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Marr.

Carl Logelin R. C. N. V. R. of Halifax, N. S. who has been visiting with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Logelin, left Monday night.

Mrs. T. Hohlen of Drumheller, has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Allan Marr.

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